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- 1. A change in the direction of the Montevideo Police Department is reported to be imminent with President Batlle Berres' Military Aide, Colonel Atanasildo G. Guarez, replacing Colonel Alberto M. Fajardo as Chief of Police. Colonel Fajardo is reportedly to be made a general.
- 2. According to source, some connection may exist between this change and information which was received several weeks ago that President Batlle Berres was planning to coordinate all Uruguayan intelligence activities under the direction of Colonel Suarez.

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